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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR
TRANSMISSION OF ANALOG CHANNELS
OVER DIGITAL PACKET NETWORKS

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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 254 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, this is a request for the issuance of a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. Two (2) copies of PTO Form 1050 are appended. The Certificate of Correction involves Claim 12. At column 18, line 19, after network; insert -- and -- and begin a new paragraph.

The mistake(s) identified in the appended Form occurred through the fault of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application which matured into this patent. Accordingly, no fee is required.

Issuance of the Certificate of Correction containing the corrections is earnestly requested.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 18, claim 12 should read as follows:

12. A system for transferring contents of an information channel from a source to a destination, comprising:

- means for receiving a signal spectrum having a plurality of channels via an analog network;
- means for digitizing the received signal spectrum;
- means for isolating and translating, from the digitized spectrum, a selected channel to baseband, resulting in a digitized channel;
- means for framing the digitized channel and associated attribute information;
- means for transmitting the framed channel to the destination using packet techniques over a second packet network; and
- means for reconstructing a frequency and bandwidth accurate replica of the selected channel at the destination.

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